THIS YOUNG LADY THINKS SANTA CLAUS IS ALL "OK"

Linda Earle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Barron, of Arlington, is shown sitting on Santa's knee. She is spending Christmas with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Doss, of Appomattox.

Letters To Santa Claus'

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy six years old. Please bring me a Roy Rogers hat and holster with two guns, and some kind of a game. I will leave you some coffee and cake.
Love,
Scottie.

Appomattox, Va.
December 14, 1954

Dear Santa Claus,
I am a little girl four years old and have tried to be good this year. Will you please bring me a Martha Washington doll, a biz box of crayons, a little guitar and lots of candy. Be good to the other little boys and girls.
Love,
Louise Wheeler.

December 13.

Dear Santa Claus,
I hope you are not too busy to read this letter. I am 6 years old and go to school every day. I have a good teacher. She is Mrs. Gregory. I have been a good boy. So would you please bring me a football set a trombone, set of new guns, and some clothes, nuts, candy, oranges sugar plums, and please don't forget Mama, Daddy, Luthey Granny and Judith. P. S. and Robo.
Love,
Carroll Goodrich.

December 13, 1954

Dear Santa Claus,
I know you are very busy at this time but I would like for you to please bring me a Walking Doll Doll High Chair, Doll Bed, and Cleaning Set, and anything else you want to. I would like some nute candy, oranges, sugar plums, and please don't forget Mama, Daddy, Luther Granny and Carroll. I have been a good girl. Hope you a merry Christmas. P. S. and Robo.
Love,
Judith Dale Goodrich.

Appomattox, Va.
December 16, 1954

Dear Santa,
I am a little girl almost 22 months old. My home is in Arlington, Va., but since I am spending Christmas with my grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Doss, of Appomattox, I want you to come to see me here. I would like just anything you have to spare but the main thing is "do come." One thing I really would like to have is a car that I can ride in, a walking doll and a live dog.
Linda Earle Barron.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Joan Lucado. I am five years old. I want a baby doll feeding set. And a doctor set. And a baby doll that I can feed.
Thank you,
Joan Lucado.
Appomattox, Va., Route 3.
(My brother wrote this letter.

Appomattox, Va.
December 12, 1954

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy 9 years old. I have been very good. I would like for you to bring me a farm wagon with steel sides; a service station, and a bill fold. And be good to my big brother, Eugene, and my little niece,, Dorothy Carol Litchford, and all the other boys and girls.
Wayne Ferguson.

Dear Santa Claus,
My name is Thomas Lucado. I am eight years old. I want a B. B. and a hatchet. And some squibs. Thank you.
Thomas Lucado,
Appomattox, Va.

P. S. Please remember my two month old brother, Phillip. I wrote this letter.

Dear Santa,
I am a little boy five years old. I have tried to be a good boy.
I would like for you to bring me a tractor and trailer, a two gun holster set, a double barrel shotgun a tool set, a doctor's set, and an erector set. Also I would like some nuts, fruits and candy. Please be good to all the other little children, and my Mother and Dad. Goobbye until Christmas.
Bobby Trent, Jr.

P. S. Please fill Aunt Virginia's candy bowl.

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NEWS AROUND TOWN

"Pete," the 37-year-old mule owned by Mr. Sam G. Anderson, died last Thursday. In the past nine years it has been a familiar scene to see Mr. Anderson and "Pete" at work in many of the gardens of Appomattox.

To prevent mattresses from picking up rust marks from the springs give the springs a coat of paint when the original paint shows signs of wearing thin.

Here's Good Eating AT PRICES YOU CAN AFFORD!

This Week-end be Sure to Visit Our Complete
MEAT & PRODUCE DEPT.

We Give and Redeem S&H GREEN STAMPS

GRADE A U. S. GOOD T-Bone & Sirloin Steak lb. 69c

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Swift's Premium Hams. Also Picnic Hams wrapped for Christmas.

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Bacon lb. .65

Green Hill
Bacon lb. .63

Green Hill
Pure Lard 3 lb. tin pail .73

WE NOW HAVE DULANEY FROZ FOODS (Special This Week-End
French Green Beans pkg.
Cut Green Beans pkg.
Eberwine Chopped
Turnip Greens 1 lb. 11 oz. can 2 for
Eberwine
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Eberwine
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ORANGES & GRAPEFRUIT, Loose or in 5 & 10 lb. Christmas Bags.
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We reserve the right to limit customers on these SPECIALS.

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Announcement
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THE FARMERS NATIONAL BANK takes pleasure in announcing to the public the purchase of a NIGHT DEPOSITORY. In keeping with modern banking we are proud to again meet the growing needs of our community.

In 1948 we installed a modern Bank Vault.

In 1953 we offered Christmas Savings Club to this community.

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Gift Suggestions

COSTUME JEWELRY —
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ASCOT PINS — plus tax .29
COSMETIC SETS — plus tax .69 to 2.00
OLD SPICE TALCUM — plus tax 1.00
After Shave Lotion — plus tax 1.00
Sets — plus tax 1.00 to 1.75
SHAVING SETS — plus tax 1.00 to 2.00
ARROW BRAND DRESS SHIRTS for men 3.95
ARROW BRAND SPORT SHIRTS for men in Flannel, Gabardine, Gingham Plaids & Houndstooth Checks
HALLMARK DRESS SHIRTS for men 2.98
GOODBURY DRESS SHIRTS for men 2.25
MAYFD DRESS SHIRTS with tie 2.98
MENS PAJAMAS 2.98
BOYS PAJAMAS 1.98 & 2.49
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BOYS GLOVES 1.98
HALFOLDS — Ladies and Men, plus tax .79 & 1.00
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BOXED STATIONARY .29 to 1.00
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COTTON HOUSE DRESSES 3.95 to 6.95
BETTER DRESSES — rayon, gabardine, cotton and taffeta 5.75 to 9.95
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FRIDAY, DECEMBER 17th
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Appomattox, Virginia

PERSONALS

Billy Guill spent the past weekend in Richmond.

Miss Ann Stern will spend the week-end in Lynchburg with her aunt, Mrs. Bernice Stern.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Lucado spent Sunday in Halifax with Mrs. Warren Hamlet.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Martin, of Baltimore were reecnt visitors with relatives here.

Bobby Dinkins, Earl Agee, Bobby Burkey, Fred Carr, of V. P. I., spent the week-end here.

Mrs. G. L. Doss and Mrs. Calvin Robinson spent Friday night in Arlington with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Barron.

Mrs. F. C. Dresser has returned to her home here after spending several days in Arlington with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Dresser.

Mrs. Sam Anderson spent Sunday P. M. with her sister, Mrs. W. B. Thomas, of Evergreen. Mrs. Thomas who has been on the sick list, is able to be up again.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McFadden of Spout Spring have announced the birth of a daughter, Meredith Patricia, born December 11th at the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Weidman, of Waynesboro have announced the birth of a daughter, Nancy Lynn, born Monday, Dec. 13. Mrs. Weidman is the former Miss Elsie Thornhill, of Appomattox.

Mrs. Flora Stanley and daughter, Miss Mary Watt, entertained at six o'clock dinner on Sunday in their home, Mrs. Jennie Johnson, Mrs. S. J. Evans, Miss Ann Evans and Bill Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Gayle and daughter, Tish, of Fredericksburg, spent the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Gayle. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Thompson, of Richmond, were dinner guests Sunday evening of the Gayles.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gills and son, Charles, and Susana, attended the wedding of his sister, Miss Corrine Gills, of Kenbridge, to Mr. Marvin Irby, of Blackstone, on Saturday P. M., December 13th, in Crewe. They also visited relatives in Kenbridge over the week-end.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Johnson on Wednesday were Mrs. Barbara Metcalf, of Darlington Heights; and Mrs. Earl Johnson and children, of Appomattox. Sunday visitors in this home were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Johnson and daughter, Pat, of Ashland; Taylor Johnson, of Lynchburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson.

REPORT ON RED CROSS BLOODMOB'LE VISIT

H. A. Gurney, chairman, reported today an additional member of "The Gallon Club" resulting from the Red Cross Bloodmobile visit to Appomattox Monday. Leah Ruth Williams gave her 8th pint of blood on Monday to join the club.

He also reported that the largest number of donors came from the Appomattox Garment Company, 12 of the 38 accepted.

The committee wishes to thank all those offered to donate blood, the Woman's Club for staffing the canteen and local nurses and volunteers who assisted.

BIRTHDAY LIST

Larry Guill, Dec. 15.
Ann Stern, Dec. 2.
Calvin H. Robinson, Dec. 21.

Frank Wooldridge is recovering from a recent appendectomy.

The Friend Seekers Bible Class of Mount Comfort Church will meet in the home of Miss Mary Anne Wheeler on Saturday night, Dec. 18.

Engagement Is Announced

. . . . Miss Florence McFadden

Mrs. Herman F. Carter, of Appomattox, Va., announces the engagement of her daughter, Florence McFadden, to William Kenneth Kittrell, son of Mrs. Retha Kittrell, of Winterville, N. C., and the late O. V. Kittrell. The wedding is planned for April 8th, at Memorial Baptist Church in Greenville, N. C.

MONROE LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS

At a Stated Communication of Monroe Lodge of Masons, held on December 13th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing lodge year:

Fred C. Smith, Worshipful Master
Joseph R. Megginson, Senior Warden
John L. Harrison, Junior Warden
James H. Lucado, Treasurer
J. Calvin Hudgins, Secretary
James E. Beamer, Senior Deacon
R. M. McCrickard, Junior Deacon
W. Dean Conner, Chaplain
R. Bruce Haley, Tiler
Claude W. Smith, Marshal
William C. Dudley, Reporter.
W. Dean Conner retired as Worshipful Master.

Vera

Vera, Dec. 15.- Well, we are surely having old time winter rain, snow and sleet. I do hope we may have good weather for the Christmas holidays. It is so dangerous traveling in bad weather.

The Woman's Missionary meeting was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen O'Brien on the 8th. Our Christmas meeting, Secret Pal, will be held at New Hope Church in the basement.

Mrs. T. C. Harvey, Mazie and Harriette visited in the home of Mrs. Sadie Covington on Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson on Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Grover Beasley, Mr. and Mrs. T. C Harvey and Harriette

Most of the farmers are getting tobacco on the market. Prices are very good.

The hunters are having very good luck, regardless of the bad weather.

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Water repellent and stain resistant
HOLIDAY DRESSES — 9-16 11.75 to 14.75
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SKIRTS — 24-36 2.98 to 12.95
Assorted styles and colors
CARDIGANS & PULLOVER SWEATERS 2.98 to 6.95
Wool, nylon and orlon — 34-44
SWEATERS FOR CHILDREN 2.98 to 3.75
Wool and nylon
BLOUSES — 32-44 2.98 to 5.50
Cotton, silk, nylon and jersey
GLOVES 1.00 to 2.98
White angora and wool
MUFFLER SETS FOR CHILDREN 1.98
BEDROOM SHOES for all the family 1.75 to 3.75
IDLEHOUR SPORT SOCKS pair 1.98
PULLMAN BOOTIES pair 1.49
LADIES DUSTERS — 12-20 3.95 to 5.75
Cotton print and suede flannel
CHILDREN'S DUSTERS — 3-14 3.75 to 4.49
Assorted colors
CHILDREN'S CHENILLE ROBES — 4.10 3.19 to 3.50
Assorted colors
LADIES NYLON PAJAMAS — 32-36 5.25 & 5.50
T-V PAJAMAS — 38-40 pair 6.50
SILK PAJAMAS by Miss Swank — 32-38 3.95
MOJUD GOWNS — 32-40 3.75 to 4.75
BED JACKETS to match — S-M-L 2.98 to 4.49
GOWNS FOR THE LITTLE MISS — 4-14 1.98
Rayon jersey
SLIPS by Miss Swank — 32-44 2.98 to 3.95
Silk & Nylon Tricot
MOJUD PANTIES .79 to 1.69
EXQUISITE FORM BRAS 1.50 to 2.50
MJOUD HOSE 1.00 to 1.50
DOLLS—
Saucy Walker 9.95 to 15.95
Toni Doll 11.95
Betsy McCall 7.95
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Other Dolls 1.00 to 8.95
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DOCTORS KITS 2.75
NURSES KITS 2.75
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Electric Stoves 5.95 | Sewing Machines 2.98
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